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**TITLE 631 WORKER'S COMPENSATION BOARD OF INDIANA**

**Notice of Intent to Readopt**  
LSA Document #13-349

Readopts rules in anticipation of [IC 4-22-2.5-2](#), providing that an administrative rule adopted under [IC 4-22-2](#) expires January 1 of the seventh year after the year in which the rule takes effect unless the rule contains an earlier expiration date. Effective 30 days after filing with the Publisher.

**OVERVIEW:** Rules to be readopted without changes are as follows:

[631 IAC 1-1](#) Procedures Before the Board; Compensation Payments; Reports; Second Injury Fund

Requests for any part of this readoption to be separate from this action must be made in writing within 30 days of this publication. Send written comments to the Small Business Regulatory Coordinator for this rule (see [IC 4-22-2-28.1](#)):

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Statutory authority: [IC 22-3-1-3](#).

For purposes of [IC 4-22-2-28.1](#), the Small Business Ombudsman designated by [IC 5-28-17-5](#) is:

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Resources available to regulated entities through the small business ombudsman include the ombudsman's duties stated in [IC 5-28-17-5](#), specifically [IC 5-28-17-5\(9\)](#), investigating and attempting to resolve any matter regarding compliance by a small business with a law, rule, or policy administered by a state agency, either as a party to a proceeding or as a mediator.

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